

REMARKS

Pursuant to the Examiner's request, applicants have now rewritten the amended claims, previously entered, in a proper format for a Reissue application.

Pursuant to the Examiner's request, enclosed is a newly executed Substitute Reissue Application Declaration containing at least one error upon which the reissue is based.

A priority claim is also made on the newly executed Declaration (similar to the priority claim made on the previously executed Declaration).

The original patent will be hand carried and surrendered to the Examiner by November 22, 2002.

Respectfully Submitted,

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